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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

5 In re application of: Tara Chand Singhal)
Serial No: 10/797,275) Art Unit
10 Filed: March 11, 2004) 3673
For: A Trim For Sealing Joints)
Against Water Penetration)
15 Examiner: Patel, Vishal A)
Attorney Docket: 11195.30A)

20 **Request for Continued Examination &**
Amendment And Response To Office Action

Commissioner for Patents
Mail Stop RCE, P O Box 1450,
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25 Sir/Madam:

This amendment and response is to the Final Office Action dated January 05, 2006. A request for continued examination is filed and paid for. Also a one-month extension of time is requested and paid for.

30 Please amend the above-captioned patent application as set forth below. The Application, as amended, is believed to be in condition for allowance. Accordingly, continued examination of all pending claims is respectfully requested.

35 **CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 CFR §1.8**

40 I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail, postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner For Patents, Mail Stop: RCE, P O Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the 5/5/2006. T. Singhal TARA CHAND SINGHAL, Applicant